

REMARKS

The Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the above amendments and the following remarks. Claims 1, 15, 20 and 32 have been amended. No claims have been cancelled. Thus, claims 1-33 are presented for examination.

Applicants acknowledge the allowance of claims 26-31.

Claims 1-25 and 32-33 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. §101 because the claimed invention is directed to non-statutory subject matter. Applicants respectfully submit that the claims have been amended to appear in proper condition for allowance.

In view of the foregoing, it is believed that all claims now pending patentably define the subject invention over the prior art of record and are in condition for allowance. Applicants respectfully request that the rejections be withdrawn and the claims be allowed at the earliest possible date.

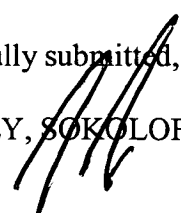
The Examiner is invited to call Mark Watson at (303) 740-1980 if there remains any issue with allowance of the case.

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Respectfully submitted,

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